

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	11/1/2017	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2689	51.65%
Female	2517	48.35%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5206	
Age As Of		
11/1/2017		
Less than 1	245	4.71%
1 thru 3	852	16.37%
4 thru 6	623	11.97%
7 thru 9	588	11.29%
10 thru 12	603	11.58%
13 thru 15	832	15.98%
16 thru 17	884	16.98%
18	328	6.30%
19 and up	250	4.80%
Unknown	1	0.02%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4563	87.65%
2 Removals	552	10.60%
3 Removals	77	1.48%
4 Removals	13	0.25%
5 Removals	1	0.02%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	672	12.91%
1 thru 3	751	14.43%
4 thru 6	673	12.93%
7 thru 9	659	12.66%
10 thru 12	767	14.73%
13 thru 15	1086	20.86%
16 thru 18	589	11.31%
19 and up	3	0.06%
Unknown	6	0.12%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	3381	64.94%
Institution	545	10.47%
Group Home	204	3.92%
Pre-adoptive Home	314	6.03%
Trial Home Visit	193	3.71%
Independent Living	391	7.51%
Relative Foster Home	148	2.84%
Runaway	0	0.00%
Unknown	30	0.58%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	1041	20.00%
Neglect	2614	50.21%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	519	9.97%
Relinquishment	347	6.67%
Physical Abuse	782	15.02%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1347	25.87%
Inadequate Housing	847	16.27%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	322	6.19%
Sexual Abuse	246	4.73%
Abandonment	291	5.59%
Child's Disability	64	1.23%
Incarceration of Parent	376	7.22%
Child's Drug Abuse	121	2.32%
Death of Parent	40	0.77%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	29	0.56%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1771	34.02%
2 Placements	1347	25.87%
3 Placements	735	14.12%
4 Placements	383	7.36%
5 Placements	254	4.88%
6 or More Placements	687	13.20%
Unknown	29	0.56%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4999	96.02%
Yes	96	1.84%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	348	6.68%
Emancipation	281	5.40%
Reunification	1969	37.82%
Adoption	1683	32.33%
Live With Other Relatives	474	9.10%
Not Yet Established	451	8.66%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	51	0.98%
Mental Retardation	12	0.23%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	1	0.02%
Physically Disabled	44	0.85%
Emotionally Disturbed	38	0.73%
Other Medical Condition	7	0.13%